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Official meetings

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General Assembly

Sixty-fourth session

10 a.m. — 96th plenary meeting — General Assembly Hall

Crime prevention and criminal justice [104]

High-level meeting of the General Assembly on transnational organized crime, pursuant to resolution 64/179 of 18 December 2009, aimed at fostering universal adherence to the Convention and the Protocols thereto and at strengthening international cooperation

10.30 a.m.–1 p.m. — General Assembly Hall

Informal panel discussion on transnational organized crime[1]

Transnational organized crime as a multidimensional threat: How to promote a coherent and holistic response through the universal adherence to and full implementation of the Palermo Convention and its Protocols

Moderator:

Mr. Antonio Maria Costa, Under-Secretary-General and Executive Director of United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime

3–6 p.m. — 97th plenary meeting — General Assembly Hall

Crime prevention and criminal justice [104]

[1] A note verbale from the Office of the President of the General Assembly and a background note, dated 6 June 2010, were sent by facsimile to all permanent representatives and observers.

Announcement

Kindly take note that the informal meetings of the General Assembly, previously published in boxes, will now appear under a new header (see pp. 5 and 15).

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General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session

General debate

Delegations are reminded that *Friday, 18 June 2010*, is the deadline to inform the Secretariat of their participation at the general debate in the plenary of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly. Requests for inscription on the list of speakers should be communicated, *in writing*, and hand-delivered to the General Assembly Affairs Branch (room NL-1033).

General Assembly
Sixty-fourth session

There will be a briefing by the Secretary-General on recent developments, as well as on the ongoing preparations for the upcoming G20/G8 Summits in Canada, on Friday, 18 June 2010, at 4 p.m. in the General Assembly Hall, immediately following the adjournment of the plenary meeting. *Member States are invited to participate at the ambassadorial level.*

General Assembly
Sixty-fourth session

A thematic debate of the General Assembly, entitled "United Nations peacekeeping: Looking into the future", will be held on Tuesday, 22 June 2010, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB). A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 22 April 2010, was sent by facsimile to all permanent representatives and observers. A detailed programme will follow.

General Assembly

Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples
Resumed session

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Informal consultations (closed) . . . . . Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)

Fourth Biennial Meeting of States to Consider the Implementation of the Programme of Action to Prevent, Combat and Eradicate the Illicit Trade in Small Arms and Light Weapons in All Its Aspects

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . 7th meeting . . . . . Conference Room 2 (NLB)

3–6 p.m. . . . . 8th meeting . . . . . Conference Room 2 (NLB)

Consideration of the implementation of the International Instrument to Enable States to Identify and Trace, in a Timely and Reliable Manner, Illicit Small Arms and Light Weapons (A/CONF.192/BMS/2010/WP.4) . . . . . [7]

[Other documents: A/CONF.192/BMS/2010/1, A/CONF.192/BMS/2010/2, A/CONF.192/BMS/2010/WP.1, A/CONF.192/BMS/2010/WP.3, A/CONF.192/BMS/2010/WP.4, A/CONF.192/BMS/2010/WP.5, A/CONF.192/BMS/2010/WP.6 and A/CONF.192/BMS/2010/INF.1]

[Documents of the Biennial Meeting can be accessed, together with other relevant information, at <www.poa-iss.org/BMS4/>.]

[Participants are kindly requested to communicate the composition of their delegations to the Secretariat (Disarmament and Peace Affairs Branch, Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (room IN-615A; or fax 1 (212) 963-5305)).]

[The list of side events scheduled to be held during the Meeting can be consulted at <www.poa-iss.org/BMS4/SideEvents.html>.]

Committee on Contributions
Seventieth session

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building)

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building)

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 10 (NLB)

OICT structural review

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Meeting of States Parties
Twentieth Meeting

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . 138th meeting . . . . . Conference Room 1 (NLB)

1. Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf . . . . . [10]

   Report of the Coordinator of the Open-ended Working Group of the Whole on the Workload of the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf

2. Consideration of budgetary matters of the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea [11]

   Report of the Coordinator of the Open-ended Working Group of the Whole on Budgetary Matters of the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea

3. Report of the Secretary-General under article 319 for the information of States parties on issues of a general nature, relevant to States parties, that have arisen with respect to the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (A/64/66/Add.1, A/64/66/Add.2 and A/65/69] . . . . . [13]

3–6 p.m. . . . . 139th meeting . . . . . Conference Room 1 (NLB)

Report of the Secretary-General under article 319 for the information of States parties on issues of a general nature, relevant to States parties, that have arisen with respect to the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (A/64/66/Add.1, A/64/66/Add.2 and A/65/69] . . . . . [13]

Economic and Social Council

Committee for Programme and Coordination
Fiftieth session

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . 16th meeting (closed) . . . . . Conference Room 4 (NLB)

Programme questions . . . . . [3]

(a) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2012-2013

Part two: biennial programme plan

Programme 19: Human rights (A/65/6 (Prog. 19))

Programme 26: Jointly financed activities (A/65/6 (Prog. 26))

Introduction and general discussion

3–6 p.m. . . . . 17th meeting (closed) . . . . . Conference Room 4 (NLB)

Programme questions . . . . . [3]

(a) Proposed strategic framework for the period 2012-2013

Part two: biennial programme plan

Programme 8: Least developed countries, landlocked developing countries and small island developing States (A/65/6 (Prog. 8))

Programme 9: United Nations support for the New Partnership for Africa's Development (A/65/6 (Prog. 9))

Introduction and general discussion

Coordination questions . . . . . [4]

(a) Report of the United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination

Annual overview report of the United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination for 2009/10 (E/2010/69)

Introduction and general discussion

Economic and Social Council

Informal briefing

The Vice-President of the Council, H.E. Mr. Alexandru Cujba (Republic of Moldova), will hold an informal briefing on the preparations for the operational activities segment of the 2010 substantive session of the Council *today*, 17 June 2010, from 12.15 p.m. to 1.15 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB).

Informal "informal" consultations

Informal "informal" consultations, convened by the Presidency of the Council (Malaysia) and facilitated by Mr. Zahid Rastam, on the draft Ministerial Declaration of the high-level segment of the 2010 substantive session of the Council, will take place *today*, 17 June 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room B (NLB).

Informal meetings of the General Assembly

Thursday, 17 June 2010

Informal "informal" meeting on system-wide coherence (gender)

10 a.m. . . . . Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Informal "informal" meeting on the preparation of the 2010 High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly on the Millennium Development Goals

10 a.m. . . . . Conference Room 7 (NLB)

Other meetings

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Thursday, 17 June 2010

Group of 77 (on humanitarian assistance)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room D (NLB)

Group of 77 (on oceans and the law of the sea)

1.15–2.30 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room B (NLB)

Group of 77 (on the 2010 High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly on the Millennium Development Goals)

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 7 (NLB)

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Human rights to water and sanitation" (organized by the Permanent Mission of the Plurinational State of Bolivia)

1.15–2.30 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room D (NLB)

Group of 77: Workshop on Water

3–6 p.m. . . . . Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)

[Participation is open to all interested.]

Other activities

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Thursday, 17 June 2010

Panel discussion and launch of the *African Economic Outlook 2010* — Special theme "Public resource mobilization and aid" (co-organized by the Division for Sustainable Development of the Department of Economic and Social Affairs, the Office of the Special Adviser on Africa and the Regional Bureau for Africa of the United Nations Development Programme)

From 10 a.m. to 12 noon in Conference Room 3 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please visit <http://bit.ly/AEO2010>; or contact Ms. Tulin Battikhi, Division for Sustainable Development (e-mail battikhi@un.org).]

UNITAR Migration and Development Series: Seminar on "Migration, development and remittances in the least developed countries" (a preparatory event for the Fourth United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries (LDC-IV) (organized by UNITAR, in collaboration with the International Organization for Migration, the United Nations Population Fund, and the MacArthur Foundation, and in cooperation with Office of the High Representative for the for the Least Developed Countries, Landlocked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States and the Permanent Mission of Nepal)

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information and registration, please visit <www.unitar.org/event>; or contact Ms. Valeska Hesse, UNITAR (e-mail valeska.hesse@unitarny.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3021).]

Briefing by the Deputy Executive Director of the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) on "International environmental governance" (organized by UNEP New York Office)

From 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Jim Sniffen, UNEP New York Office (e-mail sniffenj@un.org).]

High-level panel discussion on "Achieving the Millennium Development Goals in conflict-affected countries — MDG accelerators and partnerships for action" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Australia and Timor-Leste, with the support of the United Nations Development Programme)

From 3 to 4.30 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Ema Lawrence, Permanent Mission of Australia (e-mail ema.lawrence@dfat.gov.au; tel. 1 (212) 351-6688).]

Workshop on "How creative economies can lead to a culture of peace" (co-organized by the Special Unit for South-South Cooperation, United Nations Development Programme, and the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat))

From 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB); and

Friday, 18 June 2010, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 5 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Michelle Siqueira, SU/SSC (e-mail michelle.siqueira@undp.org; tel. 1 (212) 906-6527).]

Press conferences

The schedule below is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at <www.un.org/News/ossg/conf.htm>.

Thursday, 17 June 2010

Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium

12 noon . . . . . Press briefing by the Spokesperson [*Guests*: Ms. Helen Clark, Administrator, United Nations Development Programme (UNDP); H.E. Sir Mark Lyall Grant, Permanent Representative of the United Kingdom; and H.E. Mr. Federico Alberto Cuello Camilo, Permanent Representative of the Dominican Republic (on UNDP's most recent report entitled "What will it take to achieve the Millennium Development Goals? An international assessment")]

Forthcoming official meetings

Friday, 18 June 2010

General Assembly

Sixty-fourth session

10 a.m. . . . . 98th plenary meeting . . . . . General Assembly Hall

1. Appointment of members of Joint Inspection Unit (A/64/805) . . . . . [112 (g)]
2. Appointment of three ad litem judges of the United Nations Dispute Tribunal (A/64/791, A/64/793 and A/64/797) . . . . . [112 (j)]

Main Committees

Fifth Committee

Second part of the resumed session

The Fifth Committee will hold its 37th meeting on Friday, 18 June 2010, at 10 a.m. in the General Assembly Hall.

General Assembly

Ad Hoc Working Group on the Revitalization of the General Assembly

There will be a meeting of the Ad Hoc Working Group on the Revitalization of the General Assembly on Friday, 18 June 2010, at 10 a.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB). A letter from the Co-Chairs, dated 10 June 2010, was sent by facsimile to all permanent representatives and observers. The President of the General Assembly will attend the meeting. *Member States are invited to participate at the ambassadorial level.*

United Nations Open-ended Informal Consultative Process on Oceans and the Law of the Sea
Eleventh Meeting

The eleventh Meeting of the United Nations Open-ended Informal Consultative Process on Oceans and the Law of the Sea will be held from Monday, 21, to Friday, 25 June 2010. The Meeting will be convened on Monday, 21 June, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB). The format and annotated provisional agenda of the Meeting are contained in document A/AC.259/L.11. The report of the Secretary-General on oceans and the law of the sea which addresses the topic of focus of the Meeting is contained in document A/65/69. Both documents and other relevant information are available on the Web site of the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, Office of Legal Affairs <www.un.org/Depts/los>.

Delegations that have not done so are kindly reminded to submit the names of their representatives participating in the Meeting to the Division, by *Friday, 18 June 2010* (room DC2-450; fax 1 (212) 963-5847).

Delegations wishing to inscribe their names on the list of speakers are invited to contact the Division (tel. 1 (212) 963-5915 or 1 (917) 367-3085).

The list of side events scheduled to be held during the Meeting can be consulted at <www.un.org/depts/los/consultative_process/consultative_process.htm>.

Economic and Social Council
Informal briefing

The Vice-President of the Council, H.E. Mr. Somduth Soburun (Mauritius), will hold the second informal briefing on the preparations for the general segment of the 2010 substantive session of the Council on Friday, 18 June 2010, from 11 a.m. to 12 noon in Conference Room 3 (NLB). An updated version of the matrix of actions is available at <www.un.org/en/ecosoc/julyhls/gs2010.shtml>.

Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations
2010 resumed session

The 31st meeting of the 2010 resumed session of the Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations will be held on Friday, 18 June 2010, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

Economic and Social Council
Substantive session of 2010
(28 June–23 July 2010)

The Economic and Social Council will hold its substantive session of 2010 from Monday, 28 June, to Friday, 23 July, at United Nations Headquarters in New York. The session will open on Monday, 28 June, at 9.30 a.m. The annotated provisional agenda is contained in document E/2010/100. The proposed programme of work is contained in document E/2010/L.5 and the status of documentation for the session has been issued as document E/2010/L.6. For further information, please consult the Web site of the Council <www.un.org/en/ecosoc/>.

The lists of speakers for all segments have been indicated below. If no specific reference is made to a list of speakers, it implies that no such list is being maintained. The deadlines for inscription are indicated in the relevant paragraphs below. In order to accommodate all the participants, statements during the general debate of the high-level segment and during all other segments will be limited to *five minutes*, with the understanding that the full texts of the statements can be circulated in the meeting room. Requests for inscription on the lists of speakers should be sent, *in writing*, to the secretariat of the Council (Ms. Lorna Fidler (e-mail fidler@un.org; fax 1 (212) 963-5935)).

High-level segment (28 June–2 July, a.m.)
High-level segment: Annual ministerial review
[Items 2 and 2 (c) of the provisional agenda]
(Monday, 28 June)

9.45–11.30 a.m.	Opening of the high-level segment: Opening addresses, followed by keynote addresses
11.30 a.m.–12 p.m.	Policy messages from the annual ministerial review preparatory meetings
12–1 p.m.	Annual ministerial review: National voluntary presentation by Brazil
3–6 p.m.	Annual ministerial review: National voluntary presentations by the Netherlands, Guatemala and France

High-level segment: Development Cooperation Forum
[Item 2 (b) of the provisional agenda]
(Tuesday, 29 June)

10–11.15 a.m.	Development Cooperation Forum: Opening addresses, introduction of the report of the Secretary-General and keynote addresses
11.15 a.m.–1 p.m.	Policy dialogue 1 on "Promoting greater coherence: How can all policies be geared towards development goals?", followed by an interactive discussion. Participation is open to all those interested in attending.
3–3.15 p.m.	Development Cooperation Forum: Keynote address
3.15–5.15 p.m.	Policy dialogue 2 on "Accountable and transparent development cooperation: How can we build more equal partnerships?", followed by an interactive discussion. Participation is open to all those interested in attending.
5.15–7 p.m.	Policy dialogue 3 on "South-South, triangular and decentralized cooperation", followed by an interactive discussion. Participation is open to all those interested in attending.

High-level segment: Annual ministerial review and thematic discussion (parallel sessions); Development Cooperation Forum
[Items 2 (b) through 2 (d) of the provisional agenda]
(Wednesday, 30 June)

10 a.m.–1 p.m.[1]	Annual ministerial review: National voluntary presentations by Namibia, the Republic of Moldova and the United States
10 a.m.–1 p.m.[1]	Annual ministerial review and thematic discussion: Introduction of reports of the Secretary-General, followed by a special policy dialogue on "The role of women in countries in special situations", after which an interactive discussion will ensue. Participation is open to all those interested in attending.

[1] Parallel meetings.

3–3.15 p.m.	Development Cooperation Forum: Keynote addresses
3.15–5.15 p.m.	Policy dialogue 4 on "Impact of multiple crises: Allocating resources among competing needs", followed by an interactive discussion. Participation is open to all those interested in attending.
5.15–6.45 p.m.	Policy dialogue 5 on "Achieving the Millennium Development Goals by 2015: An agenda for more and improved development cooperation", followed by an interactive discussion. Participation is open to all those interested in attending.
6.45–7 p.m.	Conclusion of the Development Cooperation Forum
	High-level segment: Annual ministerial review and general debate of the segment (parallel sessions) *[Item 2 (as a whole) of the provisional agenda]* *(Thursday, 1 July)*
10 a.m.–1 p.m.[1]	Annual ministerial review: National voluntary presentations by Portugal, the Republic of Korea and Norway
10 a.m.–1 p.m.[1]	High-level segment: General debate
	A list of speakers will be maintained for the general debate of the high-level segment. Delegations wishing to inscribe should send their requests, *in writing*, indicating the full name and title of the speaker, to the secretariat of the Council (Ms. Lorna Fidler (e-mail fidler@un.org; fax 1 (212) 963-5935)). *The list will close by 6 p.m. on Thursday, 1 July.*
3–6 p.m.[1]	Annual ministerial review: National voluntary presentations by Australia, the Congo and Mongolia
3–6 p.m.[1]	High-level segment: Continuation of the general debate
	A list of speakers will be maintained for the general debate of the high-level segment. Delegations wishing to inscribe should send their requests, *in writing*, indicating the full name and title of the speaker, to the secretariat of the Council (Ms. Lorna Fidler (e-mail fidler@un.org; fax 1 (212) 963-5935)). *The list will close by 6 p.m. on Thursday, 1 July.*
	High-level segment: High-level policy dialogue with international financial and trade institutions and general debate of the high-level segment (parallel sessions) *[Item 2 (as a whole) of the provisional agenda]* *(Friday, 2 July)*
10 a.m.–12.30 p.m.[1]	High-level policy dialogue with the international financial and trade institutions on current developments in the world economy: Panel presentations, followed by an interactive discussion. Participation is open to all those interested in attending.
10 a.m.–1 p.m.[1]	High-level segment: Continuation and conclusion of the general debate, followed by the adoption of the Ministerial Declaration and conclusion of the high-level segment
	Dialogue with the Executive Secretaries of the regional commissions *(Friday, 2 July, p.m.)*
3–6 p.m.	Dialogue with the Executive Secretaries of the regional commissions on the topic, "Gender equality and empowerment of women in the implementation of the MDGs: Regional perspectives" (Council decision 2010/207)

[1] Parallel meetings.

Coordination segment (6 to 8 July)
[Items 4, 6 and 8 of the provisional agenda]
(Tuesday, 6 July)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Opening of the segment and introduction of the reports of the Secretary-General, followed by a panel discussion on "Towards a United Nations comprehensive policy response to global health challenges". The panel discussion will be open to all interested participants.

3–5 p.m. Panel discussion on "Coordinating efforts for achieving the health-related Millennium Development Goals". The panel discussion will be open to all interested participants.

5–5.15 p.m. Keynote address

5.15–6 p.m. General debate of the coordination segment

A list of speakers will be maintained for the general debate of the coordination segment as well as for items 6 and 8. Delegations wishing to inscribe should send their requests, *in writing*, to the secretariat of the Council (Ms. Lorna Fidler (e-mail fidler@un.org; fax 1 (212) 963-5935)). *The list will close by 6 p.m. on Tuesday, 6 July.*

Coordination segment (continued)
[Items 6 (a) and 7 (a) of the provisional agenda]
(Wednesday, 7 July)

10 a.m.–12 noon Introduction of the reports of the Secretary-General, followed by a panel discussion on "Operationalizing the United Nations system's short- and long-term responses to the economic and financial crisis: Progress towards implementing the Social Protection Initiative and the Global Jobs Pact". The panel discussion will be open to all interested participants.

12 noon–1 p.m. Continuation of the general debate of the coordination segment (items 4, 6 and 8)

3–6 p.m. Panel discussion on item 6 (a): Follow-up to the International Conference on Financing for Development. The panel discussion will be open to all interested participants.

Coordination segment (continued)
[Item 6 (a) of the provisional agenda]
(Thursday, 8 July)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Panel discussion on item 6 (a): Follow-up to the International Conference on Financing for Development. The panel discussion will be open to all interested participants.

3–5 p.m. General debate under item 6 (a): Follow-up to the International Conference on Financing for Development

A list of speakers will be maintained for the general debate on the item. Delegations wishing to inscribe should send their requests, *in writing*, to the secretariat of the Council (Ms. Lorna Fidler (e-mail fidler@un.org; fax 1 (212) 963-5935)).

5–6 p.m. Adoption of the outcome and conclusion of the coordination segment

Operational activities segment (9–13 (a.m.) July)
[Item 3 (as a whole) of the provisional agenda]
(Friday, 9 July)

10–10.30 a.m. Opening of the segment and introduction of the reports of the Secretary-General

10.30 a.m. – 1 p.m.	Panel discussion on "National ownership and leadership; and capacity development: Have they become a reality?". The panel discussion will be open to all interested participants.
3 – 5 p.m.	Panel discussion on "Country-level capacity: Is the United Nations system equipped to respond to the needs and priorities of the programme countries?". The panel discussion will be open to all interested participants.
5 – 6 p.m.	Special presentation on the "Outcome of the High-level Tripartite Conference on Delivering as One: Lessons learned from country-led evaluations and the way forward", followed by an interactive discussion. Participation is open to all those interested in attending.
	Operational activities segment (continued) *[Item 3 (as a whole) of the provisional agenda]* *(Monday, 12 July)*
10 a.m. – 1 p.m.	Dialogue with the Executive Heads of United Nations funds and programmes (United Nations Development Programme, United Nations Population Fund, United Nations Children's Fund, World Food Programme), followed by an interactive discussion. Participation is open to all those interested in attending.
3 – 5 p.m.	Panel discussion on "Funding of United Nations operational activities for development: Challenges and best practices at the country level", followed by an interactive discussion. The panel discussion will be open to all interested participants.
5 – 6 p.m.	General debate of the operational activities segment
	A list of speakers will be maintained for the general debate of the operational activities segment. Delegations wishing to inscribe should send their requests, *in writing*, to the secretariat of the Council (Ms. Lorna Fidler (e-mail fidler@un.org; fax 1 (212) 963-5935)). *The list will close by 6 p.m. on Monday, 12 July.*
	Operational activities segment (continued) *[Item 3 (as a whole) of the provisional agenda]* *(Tuesday, 13 July, a.m.)*
10 a.m. – 12.45 p.m.	Continuation of the general debate of the operational activities segment
12.45 – 1 p.m.	Adoption of the outcome and conclusion of the operational activities segment
	Informal event to discuss transition from relief to development *(Tuesday, 13 July, p.m.)*
3 – 5 p.m.	Economic and Social Council event to discuss transition from relief to development (Council decision 2010/209). Presentations and interactive discussions on "From relief to recovery, lessons learned from the experience of Haiti". Participation is open to all those interested in attending.
	Long-term programme of support for Haiti *[Item 7 (d) of the provisional agenda]* *(Tuesday, 13 July, p.m.)*
5 – 6 p.m.	Oral report of the Ad Hoc Advisory Group on Haiti, followed by a general discussion
	A list of speakers will be maintained for the general debate on the item. Delegations wishing to inscribe should send their requests, *in writing*, to the secretariat of the Council (Ms. Lorna Fidler (e-mail fidler@un.org; fax 1 (212) 963-5935)).

Humanitarian affairs segment (14-15 July)
[Item 5 of the provisional agenda]
(Wednesday, 14 July)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Opening of the segment and introduction of the report of the Secretary-General, followed by the general debate of the humanitarian affairs segment

A list of speakers will be maintained for the general debate of the humanitarian affairs segment. Delegations wishing to inscribe should send their requests, *in writing*, to the secretariat of the Council (Ms. Lorna Fidler (e-mail fidler@un.org; fax 1 (212) 963-5935)). *The list will close by 6 p.m. on Wednesday, 14 July.*

3–6 p.m. Panel discussion on "Humanitarian assistance operations in highly hazardous or insecure and unsafe environments", followed by an interactive discussion. The panel discussion will be open to all interested participants.

Humanitarian affairs segment (continued)
[Item 5 of the provisional agenda]
(Thursday, 15 July)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Panel discussion on "Strengthening preparedness for humanitarian emergencies and the coordinated provision of humanitarian assistance, in particular addressing the humanitarian needs of the affected populations and the factors that increase susceptibility to humanitarian emergencies", followed by an interactive discussion. The panel discussion will be open to all interested participants.

3–6 p.m. Continuation of the general debate of the humanitarian affairs segment, followed by the adoption of the outcome and conclusion of the segment

General segment
[Items 6–14 of the provisional agenda]
(16–23 July)

The general segment will begin on Friday, 16 July, with item 6 (b) (Review and coordination of the implementation of the Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the Decade 2001-2010) and will continue until Thursday, 22 July. *Lists of speakers will be maintained for the general debate of each item. The lists are open for inscription and will close by 6 p.m. on the day before the consideration of the item.* Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list of speakers should send their requests, *in writing*, to the secretariat of the Council (Ms. Lorna Fidler (e-mail fidler@un.org; fax 1 (212) 963-5935)).

Conclusion of work
(Friday, 23 July)

The Council will conclude the work of its substantive session of 2010 on Friday, 23 July.

Registration and accreditation

Information regarding registration and accreditation for the 2010 substantive session of the Economic and Social Council is available on the Web site of the Protocol and Liaison Service at the following address: <www.un.int/protocol/>.

List of participants

Delegations should send, *in writing*, the names and titles of the members of their delegations (please indicate clearly the head and alternate head of delegation) as they would like them to appear in the official list of participants. Please send this composition

of delegation to the secretariat of the Council (room IN-622), or by fax (1 (212) 963-5935), *as soon as possible, but no later than Wednesday, 23 June 2010*. The list of participants will be issued as part of the official documents of the session.

Statements

In order to facilitate interpretation, delegations are kindly requested to provide 30 copies of their statements to the Conference Officers. Delegations wishing to have the full text of statements circulated should provide 250 copies of the same to the Conference Officers.

Forthcoming informal meetings of the General Assembly

Informal "informal" meeting on the preparation of the 2010 High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly on the Millennium Development Goals

Friday, 18 June 2010, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

Informal meeting of the plenary on the political declaration to be adopted at the high-level review of progress made in addressing the vulnerabilities of small island developing Sates through the implementation of the Mauritius Strategy

Monday, 21 June 2010, at 3 p.m. in the General Assembly Hall.

[A letter from the Co-Facilitators, dated 9 June 2010, was sent by facsimile to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.]

Other forthcoming meetings

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Alliance of Small Island States (AOSIS) (plenary meeting)

Friday, 18 June 2010, from 10 to 11 a.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB).

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations" (under agenda item 5 of the provisional agenda for the 2010 substantive session of the Economic and Social Council) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Australia and Indonesia)

Friday, 18 June 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB).

Group of 77 (at the ambassadorial level)

Friday, 18 June 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Human security", under agenda items 48 and 114 of the sixty-fourth session of the General Assembly (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Japan and Jordan)

Friday, 18 June 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB).

Non-Aligned Movement: Coordinating Bureau (informal meeting) (at the ambassadorial level)

Monday, 21 June 2010, from 11.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

Forthcoming other activities

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UNU Worldwide in New York: Panel discussion on "United Nations justice: Legal and judicial reform in governance operations" (organized by the United Nations University Office in New York (UNU-ONY))

Friday, 18 June 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information and to register, please visit <www.ony.unu.edu>; or contact Ms. Rika Nakamura, UNU-ONY (e-mail nakamura@unu.edu; tel. 1 (212) 963-6387).]

UNITAR/DHL workshop on the structure, retrieval and use of United Nations documentation

Tuesday, 22 June 2010, from 9.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room B (NLB); and

Wednesday, 23 June 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room B (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Soukeyna Fall, UNITAR (e-mail falls@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).]

Forthcoming official meetings held away from Headquarters

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme and of the United Nations Population Fund
Annual session 2010
United Nations Office at Geneva

The 2010 annual session of the Executive Board of UNDP and of UNFPA will be held from Monday, 21 June, to Friday, 2 July 2010, in Conference Room XVIII, at the Palais des Nations in Geneva. The provisional agenda, list of documents and work plan for the session are contained in document DP/2010/L.2.

Announcements

Celebration of 19 June as the day to raise public awareness about sickle-cell anaemia at the national and international levels

On 17 March 2009, the General Assembly adopted the resolution 63/237 entitled "Recognition of sickle-cell anaemia as a public health problem" (A/RES/63/237). In accordance with that resolution, Members States are invited to raise awareness on 19 June about sickle-cell anaemia, a condition that afflicts hundreds of thousands of people, and to eliminate harmful prejudices associated with the disease.

General Assembly

Seating protocol for the sixty-fifth session

On Friday, 11 June 2010, the Under-Secretary-General drew from among the Member States the name of Guinea to occupy the first seat in the General Assembly Hall at the sixty-fifth session. Consequently, the delegation of Guinea will sit at the first desk at the right of the President, and the other countries will follow in the English alphabetical order. The same order will be observed in the Main Committees.

2010 International Federation of Association Football World Cup (South Africa, 11 June–11 July)

Pursuant to General Assembly resolution 64/5 (A/RES/64/5), welcoming the historic and unique dimension of the 2010 International Federation of Association Football Word Cup in South Africa and encouraging all Member States to support sport and its use as a tool to promote peace and development, the Permanent Mission of South Africa has made the necessary arrangements for the live broadcast of the World Cup matches at Headquarters, in the Austria Café and in the Delegates' Lounge in the North Lawn Building, until the conclusion of the event on Sunday, 11 July 2010. All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. M. Tawana, Permanent Mission of South Africa (e-mail tawanam@dirco.gov.za; tel. 1 (212) 692-2479).

Side events on the occasion of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly

Delegations and other interested parties are invited to submit their proposed side events for inclusion in the calendar of partnership events to be held in conjunction with the High-level Plenary Meeting. Please use the online form on the official Web site of the High-level Plenary Meeting <www.un.org/en/mdg/summit2010/events.shtml>. For further information, please send an e-mail to hlpmevents@un.org.

United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law

The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law recently added 19 lectures to the Lecture Series section of its Web site. All interested parties are invited to visit <www.un.org/law/avl/> to view the new lectures.

Consideration of prevention of transboundary harm from hazardous activities and allocation of loss in the case of such harm

With reference to the circular note No. LA/COD/18/3, dated 10 March 2010, delegations are reminded that the deadline is *Wednesday, 30 June 2010*, for the submission of comments of Governments on any future action, in particular on the form of the respective articles on prevention of transboundary harm from hazardous activities, and principles on the allocation of loss in the case of transboundary harm arising out of hazardous activities, bearing in mind the recommendations made by the International Law Commission in that regard, including in relation to the elaboration of a convention on the basis of the draft articles, as well as on any practice in relation to the application of the articles and principles (General Assembly resolution 62/68, operative para. 5 (A/RES/62/68)).

Delegations may send their comments to the Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (room M-13065; fax 1 (212) 963-1963).

In addition, it would be appreciated if an electronic version of the comments could also be sent in MS Word format to the following e-mail address: kosalvitr@un.org.

Security Council

Communications to the President of the Security Council

Communications addressed to the President of the Security Council should be delivered to the Offices of the Security Council Secretariat Branch (room 08083, 730 Third Avenue (between 45th and 46th Streets); tel. 1 (212) 963-5258).

Web site of the presidency

The Web site of the presidency of the Security Council can be visited at <www.un.org/sc/presidency.asp>.

Recorded information

Recorded information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by calling 1 (212) 963-8530, or by clicking on "Daily Programme" on the Web site of the Security Council <www.un.org/Docs/sc>.

Prepared statements

Speakers in the Security Council are advised that providing in advance copies of prepared statements which they intend to read out in the Council greatly facilitates the work of the Secretariat by permitting a sufficient number of copies to be distributed to all meeting participants and by assisting interpreters, verbatim reporters and press officers in maintaining the quality of the product delivered. Both interpretations and verbatim records rely upon the statement actually delivered, but copies of texts help interpreters to correctly render details and nuances and help verbatim reporters to produce the written record more quickly. Speakers are therefore encouraged, whenever possible, to provide copies of their statements, as early as possible in advance of delivery, to the Conference Officer in the Chamber.

Delegations are kindly requested to make 40 copies for minimum distribution to Council members and relevant services, and 200 additional copies for general distribution in the Security Council Chamber.

Delegations wishing to make statements available for the media are kindly requested to deliver 50 copies to the Media Documents Centre (e-mail mdc@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7166; room SA-1B12).

Access to back issues of the *Journal of the United Nations*

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All comments and suggestions about the daily *Journal* are welcomed. Kindly contact the office of the *Journal* at journal@un.org.

Summary of official meetings

Tuesday, 15 June 2010

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Meeting of States Parties
Twentieth Meeting

136th meeting

Election of the Vice-Presidents . . . . . [5]

The Meeting elected Mr. Ingo Winkelmann (Germany) as Vice-President of the twentieth Meeting of States Parties, by acclamation.

Appointment of the Credentials Committee . . . . . [6]

Australia and Finland were nominated as members of the Credentials Committee.

Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf . . . . . [10]

(a) Information reported by the Chair of the Commission

(b) Workload of the Commission

Statements were made by the representatives of the United States, Kenya, China, Canada, Australia, Viet Nam, Spain (on behalf of the European Union), Chile, Fiji, Iceland and Bangladesh.

The Meeting took note of the information reported by the Chair of the Commission.

Consideration of budgetary matters of the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea [11]

(a) Draft budget proposals for 2011-2012 (SPLOS/2010/WP.1)

(b) Report on budgetary matters for the financial periods 2007-2008 and 2009-2010 (SPLOS/205)

(c) Composition of the Staff Pension Committee of ITLOS (SPLOS/206)

The President of the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea made a statement.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Republic of Korea and Guatemala.

137th meeting

Consideration of budgetary matters of the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea [11]

(a) Draft budget proposals for 2011-2012 (SPLOS/2010/WP.1)

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(c) Composition of the Staff Pension Committee of ITLOS (SPLOS/206)

Statements were made by the representatives of Spain (on behalf of the European Union), Japan, Mexico, South Africa and Argentina.

Wednesday, 16 June 2010

Security Council

6341st meeting

Children and armed conflict

Report of the Secretary-General (S/2010/181)

Letter dated 15 June 2010 from the Permanent Representative of Mexico to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2010/314)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Afghanistan, Argentina, Australia, Azerbaijan, Belgium, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Croatia, Finland, Georgia, Germany, Hungary, India, Indonesia, Iraq, Israel, Italy, Kazakhstan, Liechtenstein, Myanmar, Nepal, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Pakistan, Peru, Qatar, the Republic of Korea, Sierra Leone, Slovenia, South Africa, Sri Lanka, Switzerland, Thailand, Viet Nam and Yemen, at their request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended invitations under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Ms. Radhika Coomaraswamy, Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Children and Armed Conflict, Mr. Atul Khare, Assistant Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations, Ms. Hilde Frafjord Johnson, Deputy Executive Director of the United Nations Children's Fund, and Ms. Manju Gurung, former child soldier of Nepal.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to H.E. Mr. Pedro Serrano, Acting Head of the European Union Delegation to the United Nations.

The President drew attention to a letter dated 11 June 2010 from the Permanent Observer Mission of Palestine to the United Nations (S/2010/316), requesting that the Permanent Observer of Palestine be invited to participate in the meeting in accordance with the Council's previous practice. In accordance with the provisional rules of procedure and the previous practice in this regard, the President, with the consent of the Council, invited the Permanent Observer of Palestine to the United Nations to participate in the discussion.

The President made an introductory statement.

The Council heard briefings by Ms. Coomaraswamy, Mr. Khare, Ms. Johnson and Ms. Gurung.

Statements were made by the President, speaking in her capacity as the Minister for Foreign Affairs of Mexico, and by representatives of France, the United States, Austria, Uganda, Turkey, Lebanon, Gabon, the Russian Federation, Brazil, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Nigeria, the United Kingdom, China and Japan.

The Council heard a statement by the representative of Canada (on behalf of the Group of Friends of Children and Armed Conflict).

The meeting was suspended.

Upon resumption, the President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Armenia, Bangladesh and the Philippines, at their request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The Council heard statements by the representatives of Switzerland, Colombia, Yemen, New Zealand, Thailand, Germany and Liechtenstein.

The Council heard a statement by H.E. Mr. Pedro Serrano, Acting Head of the Delegation of the European Union to the United Nations.

The Council heard statements by the representatives of South Africa, Viet Nam, Israel, Italy, Peru, Costa Rica (on behalf of the Human Security Network), Croatia and Argentina.

The Council heard a statement by the Permanent Observer of Palestine.

The Council heard statements by the representatives of the Republic of Korea, India, Nepal, Iraq, Finland (on behalf of the Nordic countries Denmark, Finland, Iceland, Norway and Sweden), Afghanistan, Indonesia, Chile, Hungary, Belgium, Qatar, Sri Lanka, Slovenia, Kazakhstan, Georgia, Australia, Azerbaijan, the Netherlands, Myanmar, Sierra Leone, Pakistan, the Philippines, Bangladesh and Armenia.

The President made a statement on behalf of the Council (S/PRST/2010/10).

General Assembly

Fourth Biennial Meeting of States to Consider the Implementation of the Programme of Action to Prevent, Combat and Eradicate the Illicit Trade in Small Arms and Light Weapons in All Its Aspects

5th meeting

The Chair, H.E. Mr. Pablo Macedo (Mexico), opened the meeting.

Consideration of the implementation of the Programme of Action in all its aspects at the national, regional and global levels . . . . . [6]

(c) Strengthening of the follow-up mechanism of the Programme of Action, and preparations for the 2011 Experts Group meeting and the 2012 Review Conference

Introductory statements were made by Ms. Marlene Gómez Villaseñor (Mexico) and Mr. Daniel Avila Camacho (Colombia), facilitator.

The representative of the Office for Disarmament Affairs made a statement.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Russian Federation, Spain (on behalf of the European Union; the candidate countries Turkey and Croatia; the countries of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidates Albania, Bosnia and Herzgovina, Montenegro and Serbia; as well as Ukraine, the Republic of Moldova, Armenia and Georgia, which aligned themselves with the statement), Trinidad and Tobago, Japan, Israel, Australia, the United States, Papua New Guinea, China, Switzerland, Canada, India, Côte d'Ivoire, the United Kingdom, Ethiopia, Pakistan, Ireland, Norway, Colombia, Poland, France, Cuba and the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya (on behalf of the Arab Group).

6th meeting

Consideration of the implementation of the Programme of Action in all its aspects at the national, regional and global levels . . . . . [6]

The Meeting heard statements by the representatives of the United Nations Office for Disarmament Affairs (on behalf of the United Nations-Coordinating Center on Small Arms (UN-CASA)); the Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe (OSCE); the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO); the Central American Integration System (SICA); the Economic Community of West African States (ECOWAS); the East African Community (EAC); the International Conference on the Great Lakes Region (ICGLR); the Regional Centre on Small Arms (RECSA); the International Physicians for the Prevention of Nuclear War; the World Forum on the Future of Sport Shooting Activities (WFSA); and the International Action Network on Small Arms (IANSA).

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

Agreement concerning the adoption of Uniform technical prescriptions for wheeled vehicles, equipment and parts which can be fitted and/or be used on wheeled vehicles and the conditions for reciprocal recognition of approvals granted on the basis of these prescriptions. Geneva, 20 March 1958

Regulation No. 6. Uniform provisions concerning the approval of direction indicators for power-driven vehicles and their trailers. 15 October 1967

Modifications to Regulation No. 6 (16 June 2010)[1]

Regulation No. 7. Uniform provisions concerning the approval of front and rear position(side) lamps, stop-lamps and end-outline marker lamps for power-driven vehicles and their trailers. 15 October 1967

Modifications to Regulation No. 7 (16 June 2010)[1]

Regulation No. 10. Uniform provisions concerning the approval of vehicles with regard to electromagnetic compatibility. 1 April 1969

Modifications to Regulation No. 10 (16 June 2010)[1]

Regulation No. 13. Uniform provisions concerning the approval of vehicles of categories M, N and O with regard to braking. 1 June 1970

Modifications to Regulation No. 13 (16 June 2010)[1]

Regulation No. 19. Uniform provisions concerning the approval of power-driven vehicle front fog lamps. 1 March 1971

Modifications to Regulation No. 19 (16 June 2010)[1]

Regulation No. 27. Uniform provisions for the approval of advance-warning triangles. 15 September 1972

Modifications to Regulation No. 27 (16 June 2010)[1]

Regulation No. 37. Uniform provisions concerning the approval of filament lamps for use in approved lamp units of power-driven vehicles and of their trailers. 1 February 1978

Modifications to Regulation No. 37 (16 June 2010)[1]

Regulation No. 48. Uniform provisions concerning the approval of vehicles with regard to the installation of lighting and light-signalling devices. 1 January 1982

Modifications to Regulation No. 48 (16 June 2010)[1]

Modifications to Regulation No. 48 (16 June 2010)[1]

Modifications to Regulation No. 48 (16 June 2010)[1]

[1] Date of receipt of the relevant documents.

Regulation No. 49. Uniform provisions concerning the measures to be taken against the emission of gaseous and particulate pollutants from compression-ignition engines for use in vehicles, and the emission of gaseous pollutants from positive-ignition engines fuelled with natural gas or liquefied petroleum gas for use in vehicles. 15 April 1982

Modifications to Regulation No. 49 (16 June 2010)[1]

Regulation No. 104. Uniform provisions concerning the approval of retro-reflective markings for vehicles of category M, N and O. 15 January 1998

Modifications to Regulation No. 104 (16 June 2010)[1]

Regulation No. 107. Uniform provisions concerning the approval of category M2 or M3 vehicles with regard to their general construction. Geneva, 18 June 1998

Modifications to Regulation No. 107 (16 June 2010)

Regulation No. 112. Uniform provisions concerning the approval of motor vehicle headlamps emitting an asymmetrical passing beam or a driving beam or both and equipped with filament lamps and/or LED modules. Geneva, 21 September 2001

Modifications to Regulation No. 112 (16 June 2010)[1]

Protocol relating to the Status of Refugees. New York, 31 January 1967

Accession: Monaco (16 June 2010)[1]

International Convention on Maritime Liens and Mortgages, 1993. Geneva, 6 May 1993

Accession: St. Kitts and Nevis (15 June 2010)[1]

[1]Date of receipt of the relevant documents.

Treaty Event

Multilateral Treaty Framework: An invitation to universal participation

2010 Treaty Event: Towards universal participation and implementation

United Nations Headquarters (21–23 and 27–28 September 2010)

It is recalled that a series of successful treaty events have been held annually at the Headquarters of the United Nations commencing with the Millennium Summit in 2000. This year, the annual treaty event will be held from Tuesday, 21, to Thursday, 23 September, and on Monday, 27, and Tuesday, 28 September 2010, at United Nations Headquarters, to coincide with the general debate of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly.

The Event, entitled "2010 Treaty Event: Towards universal participation and implementation", provides a distinct opportunity for States to demonstrate their continuing commitment to the central role of the rule of law in international relations. This year's event will highlight treaties of global reach such as human rights, terrorism, penal matters, disarmament, climate change and the protection of United Nations personnel. In particular, this year will highlight a theme which celebrates and safeguards life on earth, biodiversity. 2010 marks the International Year of Biodiversity; it also marks the start of the United Nations Decade for Deserts and the Fight against Desertification, another global issue requiring a global response.

The list of treaties being highlighted this year has been circulated by depositary notification C.N.243.2010.TREATIES-3 of 28 April 2010. As is customary, it will be possible to undertake treaty actions with regard to any treaty deposited with the Secretary-General during the treaty event. Necessary facilities, including media coverage, will be made available for treaty actions to be undertaken in a solemn setting.

Delegations intending to sign or deposit instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession relating to multilateral treaties deposited with the Secretary-General during the treaty event may wish to inform their Governments accordingly for the purpose of completing the requisite domestic procedures.

Under established international practice, only Heads of State, Heads of Government or Ministers for Foreign Affairs are empowered, by virtue of their functions, to sign treaties on behalf of States without having to produce full powers to that effect. All other representatives wishing to sign treaties must be in possession of appropriate full powers, which expressly authorize signature of specified treaties by a named representative issued and signed by one of these authorities. Likewise, instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession must be issued and signed by the same authorities.

Further information concerning the 2010 Treaty Event is available on the United Nations Treaty Collection Web site <http://treaties.un.org> and at the Treaty Section, Office of Legal Affairs (contact: Ms. Annebeth Rosenboom (e-mail rosenboom@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5047); or Mr. Bradford Smith (e-mail smithb@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3942)). Information concerning the requirements for full powers and the deposit of instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession (including model instruments) can be found in the *Treaty Handbook*, which is also available on the United Nations Treaty Collection Web site.

General information

Chairs of the regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *June 2010* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:
Congo
H.E. Mr. Raymond Serge Balé

Asian States:
Bhutan
H.E. Mr. Lhatu Wangchuk

Eastern European States:
Azerbaijan
H.E. Mr. Agshin Mehdiyev

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H.E. Mr. Delano Frank Bart

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H.E. Mr. Thomas Mayr-Harting

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A/64/PV.84	Meeting held on 23 April 2010, 10 a.m. [A C E F R S] — *4 pages*
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A/64/808–S/2010/298	Item 110 (c) — Elections to fill vacancies in principal organs: election of a member of the International Court of Justice — Memorandum by the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *5 pages*
A/64/814–S/2010/289	Item 127 — International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 — Identical letters dated 2 June 2010 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *10 pages*
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United Nations Commission on International Trade Law
Forty-third session

A/CN.9/700/Add.6	Draft Supplement to the UNCITRAL Legislative Guide on Secured Transactions dealing with security rights in intellectual property — Note by the Secretariat [A C E F R S] — *27 pages*
A/CN.9/707/Add.1	Current activities of international organizations related to the harmonization and unification of international trade law — Note by the Secretariat [A C E F R S] — *13 pages*
A/CN.9/708	UNCITRAL Legislative Guide on Insolvency Law — Part three: Treatment of enterprise groups in insolvency — Note by the Secretariat: Revisions to A/CN.9/WG.V/WP.92 and A/CN.9/WG.V/WP.92/Add.1 [A C E F R S] — *9 pages*

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S/2010/259	Letter dated 28 May 2010 from the President of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda addressed to the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *28 pages*
S/2010/270	Letter dated 31 May 2010 from the President of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991, addressed to the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *54 pages*
S/2010/286	Letter dated 1 June 2010 from the Permanent Representative of France to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *6 pages*
A/64/814–S/2010/289	Identical letters dated 2 June 2010 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *10 pages*
A/64/808–S/2010/298	Election of a member of the International Court of Justice — Memorandum by the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *5 pages*
S/2010/308	Letter dated 18 March 2010 from the Permanent Representative of Iraq to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *6 pages*
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